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Air Force Names Honolulu District, Project Manager Best in 2007

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(FT. SHAFTER, HI - NR-19-07) The U.S. Air Force recently named the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Honolulu District as the 2007 U.S. Air Force Construction Agent of the Year and Honolulu District's Edwin Yago as the 2007 Civilian Project Manager of the Year in the Construction Category.

The Construction Agent of the Year Award recognizes the agency that provides the most professional management of construction projects for the U.S. Air Force. U.S. Pacific Air Forces (PACAF) nominated the Honolulu District for the Air Force-wide award for its unique managerial ability, construction techniques and ability to complete projects below cost and ahead of schedule.

In particular, PACAF recognized the Honolulu District for its success with Hickam Air Force Base's C-17 Beddown Project.

Yago, a civil engineer with the District, is being recognized for his dynamic leadership, technical and managerial ability, fiscal resourcefulness and innovative engineering techniques. Yago serves as the project manager for several Hickam AFB projects.

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2-2-2 2007 AIR FORCE AWARDS

Honolulu District is responsible for the planning, design and construction of the \$153 million Hickam AFB C-17 Beddown project, which includes: a state-of the-art simulator building, a squadron operations building, a consolidated maintenance complex, historic hangar renovations, a hot cargo pad and several support facilities.

The awards are scheduled to be presented in Washington D.C. in early August.

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